

### **HSB 4M1-End of Unit 1**

- 4.1 Technology: an Agent of Change
- 4.2 Coping With Technological Change
- 4.3 The Impact of Technology on the Family
- 4.4 Changes in Land Use and Agriculture

What is the Social Change Theory?

Explain the idea of Technological Determinism?

What changes did the introduction of the printing press cause?

What is meant by the statement “technology extends our natural abilities and alters our social environment.”

Do traditional theories of social change tend to undervalue or overvalue technology?

Do you agree with the social change theory or technological determinism?

Explain technosis in your own words

How can the average person cope with technological change?

What impact does computer technology have on the way you live your life? Are you governed by technology or does technology govern you?

Explain how mass culture came along after World War I

What effect does television have on family activities?

What is an infomated household?

Name and explain the three ways our habitat is constantly changing?

Read the case study on page 119: Information Technology and the Family (Questions 1-4)

What is the significance of the plow?

Identify what you think to be the three most important technological developments in history. Explain

In Canada a debate is raging about whether or not GM foods should be labelled as such. What is your opinion on the topic?

How did technological change affect peoples land use practices throughout the various stages of history?